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Column 2, Line 20, change "space" to --shape--.

Column 5, Line 51, change "opposed" to --proposed--.

Column 6, Lines 24-25, change "parllelization" to --parallelization--.

Column 6, Line 44, change "had" to --has--.

Column 6, Line 51, change "place" to --plane--.

Column 7, Line 62, change "place" to --plane--.

Column 9, Line 44, change "end" to --ends--.

Column 9, Line 65, change "portions" to --positions--.

Column 11, Line 36, change "distinct" to --distant--.

Column 12, Line 58, change "plate" to --plane--.

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